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In re Appln. of: C. Kowalsky, et al.  
Appln. No.: 10/788,621  
Filed: February 27, 2004  
For: ELECTROHYDRAULIC CLUTCH  
ASSEMBLY

Examiner: Unknown

Art Unit: 3681

Attorney Docket No: DKT03160

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- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement; PTO Form-1449  
☒ Return Receipt Postcard

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Respectfully submitted,

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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, and more particularly in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b), Applicants cite the following references (each listed for the Examiner's convenience on the enclosed Form PTO-1449):

No.	Date of Publication	Patentee/Applicant/Assignee
4,648,492	03/10/87	Moore
5,875,865	03/02/99	Wakahara et al.
5,878,624	03/09/99	Showalter et al.
6,247,569	06/19/01	McGuire et al.
6,354,977	03/12/02	Brown et al.
6,464,612	10/15/02	Frost
6,595,338	07/22/03	Bansbach et al.
6,655,756	12/02/03	Riddiford et al.

Applicants respectfully solicits the Examiner's consideration of the listed references and entry thereof into the record of this application.

By submitting this Statement, Applicants are attempting to fully comply with the duty of candor and good faith mandated by 37 C.F.R. §1.56. As such, this Statement is not intended to constitute an admission that any of the enclosed references, or other information referred to therein, constitutes "prior art" or is otherwise "material to patentability," as that phrase is defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(a).

Applicants have calculated no fee to be due in connection with the filing of this Statement. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee deficiency associated with the filing of this Statement to a deposit account, as authorized in the Transmittal accompanying this Statement.

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Enclosures: Form PTO-1449 (one sheet)

